Supreme Court Order. The Group of Ministers (GOM) discussed the Supreme Court's Order dated 10-3-2003 and it was felt that for better clarity, the opinion of Department of Legal Affairs may be solicited in this matter. The Department has obtained the opinion of Department of Legal Affairs and the same has been forwarded to the GOM for its consideration.

(d) and (e) The Department has constantly been making efforts to seek the decision of the GOM for early finalization of the Pharma Policy. Since, the final decision on the issue of Pharma Policy can only be taken after GOM takes a decision in this regard, this Department is not in a position to comment upon the likely timeframe for finalization of the policy.

Child mental healthcare

*170. SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Planning Commission has agreed to accord priority to child mental healthcare;

(b) whether in the Eleventh Five Year Plan (2007-2012) document, the Commission has pointed out that there is currently no budgetary allocation for child and adolescent mental healthcare;

(c) if so, what is the total amount of funds the Planning Commission has agreed to provide to the States during the next year for this purpose; and

(d) to what extent it will be helpful in meeting the child mental healthcare?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMDOSS): (a) to (d) The Planning Commission has agreed to accord priority to child mental healthcare in the 11th Five Year Plan. Allocation for National Mental Health Programme (NMHP) in the 11th Five Year Plan is Rs.1000 crore. There is no State-wise allocation of funds under NMHP. Funds under various components of the Programme are released to the State Governments as per the approved pattern of assistance based upon the proposals received from them.

The Government has proposed to restrategise NMHP during the 11th Five Year Plan to extend District Mental Health Programme (DMHP) to more districts in the country which will, *inter alia*, address the basic issues and services related to child and adolescent mental healthcare. These include life skills training in schools, counselling services in schools and colleges, early detection and treatment of child and adolescent mental health problems. In addition, mental health problems of out of school children and adolescents are proposed to be addressed in collaboration with NGOs/public private partnership.

CAG report on disaster management preparedness in railways

*171. SHRI N.R. GOVINDARAJAR: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Indian Railways seriously lack in disaster management preparedness as per CAG's latest report;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that there is a shortage of trained manpower and proper communication equipment and trains are not equipped with rescue and relief system; and